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## FIGHTING RENEWED IN FLANDERS

### Attack of Germans on British Was Repulsed

#### INDICATIONS THAT THE ALLIES ARE ABOUT TO WITHDRAW FROM GALLIPOLI PENINSULA

(Associated Press)

There are some indications of the long expected German attack in Flanders in the British and French reports, saying the Germans attacked under a gas cloud. The attack was repulsed completely. A few Germans got out of their trenches. Its said the Germans have been massing northeast of Ypres, where the attack was made, for weeks. The Germans attacked early this morning. Later the Germans bombarded the British near Ypres and the French at Messines. Mines were exploded along the trenches at Armentieres, but German infantry trying to occupy the craters was repulsed. Artillery duels continue along the remainder of the western front.

There is comparative quiet on the Russian and Macedonian fronts. The withdrawal of the British from Anzac cove and Suvla bay, on the Gallipoli peninsula, is announced in a brief official statement. Beyond the statement that the movement was effected successfully, few details were given. No allusion was made to the forces at the Sedoul Bahr front at the tip of the peninsula.

British troops in the Suvla and Anzac districts, Gallipoli peninsula, have been withdrawn with insignificant casualties, "to another sphere of operations," says an official statement. All stores and guns were saved.

#### BRITISH MONITORS REPULSED

Berlin, Dec. 20.—Entente allied monitors shelled Westende, Belgium, yesterday, an official statement says. They were repulsed by land batteries. German aviators attacked Poperinghe, near Ypres, where hostile troops are concentrated.

#### LOSSES WERE SLIGHT

London, Dec. 20.—The total British casualties resulting from the Saloniki expedition into Serbia was only 1278, Harold J. Tennant, under secretary for war, told the house of commons. One officer and eighty-five men were killed.

## GREEK ELECTIONS

#### SUNDAY WENT IN FAVOR OF FACTION OF GOUNARIS

London, Dec. 20.—The Athens correspondent of the Times says returns from the Greek parliamentary elections Sunday gave the party of M. Gounaris, minister of the interior, a large majority.

#### FUNERAL OF MR. THOMPSON

The funeral services of Rev. G. E. Thompson were held at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon. Rev. J. R. Herndon officiated, and many friends were present to pay last respects to the good old clergyman. The remains were laid to their last rest in Greenwood. McIver & MacKay had charge of the arrangements.

#### CARD OF THANKS

The auxiliary board of the Marion County Hospital Association wishes to heartily thank the young ladies, those who contributed so generously and all others who helped to make "tag day" the big success it was. Mrs. D. S. Woodrow, President.

## WEDDING OF MRS GALT TO PRESIDENT WILSON

### SIMPLE AND IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY FOLLOWED BY A HONEYMOON AT HOT SPRINGS

(Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—President Wilson and Mrs. Edith Bolling Galt were married at 8:30 o'clock last night and left afterward to spend their honeymoon at Hot Springs, Va. The president and his bride traveled in a private car attached to a special train leaving here at 11:10 o'clock, which is due to arrive in Hot Springs today at 8:15 a. m.

At Hot Springs Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will live at the Homestead Hotel until after New Years day unless some development should necessitate the president's earlier return to the capital. Two of the White House automobiles have been sent on ahead and the couple expect to spend their honeymoon motoring, golfing and walking over the mountain trails. Beside the secret service guard the party was accompanied by one stenographer. The president will keep in touch with the White House over special wires. Because the hour of the wedding was known to comparatively few people, there was not a large crowd in the vicinity of the bride's home, although a large police guard had been provided.

All arrangements for the wedding ceremony were carried out perfectly, the president arriving at his bride's home soon after 8 o'clock and the remainder of the wedding party which numbered less than thirty, followed soon after. The ceremony was begun as had been arranged at 8:30 o'clock and was followed by a buffet luncheon. Mrs. Wilson was married in the traveling gown she wore to the train.

#### No Attendents

Everything was in readiness for the ceremony when the president arrived and it proceeded without music. Neither the president nor Mrs. Galt had any attendants and there were no ushers or flower girls. Neither the army, the navy, nor the diplomatic corps was represented and the occasion was essentially what both of the couple had wished it to be—a home wedding.

On the first floor of the bride's home in two communicating rooms a wedding bower had been arranged with a background of farleyanase and maidenhair fern which reached from the floor to the ceiling. Overhead there was a canopy of green in the form of a shell lined with Scotch heather. In the background and at the center was placed a large mirror framed with orchids and reflecting the scene. American Beauty roses were on both sides of the canopy, beneath which was a prayer rug on which the president and Mrs. Galt knelt during the ceremony.

#### Appear on Stair

Just at the hour set for the ceremony the president and his bride appeared at the head of the staircase, which was decorated with ferns, asparagus vines and American Beauty roses. They descended to the lower floor, where the guests were grouped about informally.

The Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, rector of St. Margaret's Protestant Episcopal church, of which the bride is a communicant was waiting beneath the canopy to perform the ceremony, and with him, to assist, was the president's pastor, the Rev. James H. Taylor of the Central Presbyterian church.

Mrs. William Bolling, the bride's mother, gave her away. The president stood on the right of the clergyman and the bride stood on their left. At once Dr. Smith began the words of the Episcopal marriage service, the president making his responses first and then the bride making hers. After the bride promised to "love, cherish and obey," the president placed the wedding ring, a plain band of gold, upon her finger, and then, after

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## FIRST NOTE WAS TOO FIERCE

### Reply to Austria Won't Be So Rough

#### IT WILL BE GIVEN OUT FOR PUBLICATION WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

(Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 20.—Secretary Lansing announced that the text of the second note to Austria on the sinking of the Ancona will be given out for publication Wednesday afternoon. It is about six hundred words long. He said the note was firm in tone but not as drastic as the first.

## GO ON RECORD

#### FLORIDA METHODISTS MAKE A DEMAND ON SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 20.—The Methodist conference, in session here, has gone on record as favoring the plan to have candidates for Congress and the state legislature go on record on prohibition.

## CAUGHT COLD

#### EX-PRESIDENT TAFT ILL AT THE HOME OF A FRIEND IN WISCONSIN

Larcross, Wis., Dec. 20.—Former President Wm. H. Taft is ill here at the home of a former Yale classmate, George W. Burton. Mr. Taft caught a severe cold on his way to deliver a lecture. A throat specialist met him on his arrival here last night.

#### MARGUERITE CLARK IN THE CRUCIBLE

After her auspicious introduction to the motion picture public, through her triumphantly successful impersonation of "Wildflower," the fascinating and captivating young star, Marguerite Clark, makes her second appearance in motion pictures in a famous Players-Paramount five-part film version of Mark Lee Luther's noted story "The Crucible," the inaugural presentation of which occurs at the Temple tonight.

"The Crucible" is the tense drama of a soul's development, through suffering and renunciation. With clear, bold strokes the author has constructed a character of much power and fascination, and in its portrayal Marguerite Clark does not only meet its varied requirements, but often surpasses them in a series of dramatically effective scenes.

With a finely balanced command of the requisite talents necessary for the display of so many emotions as are contained in this characterization, Marguerite Clark progresses from mood to mood and from feeling to feeling with an absorbing sustained inarrest that fastens and retains its hold upon the audience until the final flash of the thrilling subject.

As Jean Fanshawe, the heroine of "The Crucible" Marguerite Clark manifests a quality of dramatic power unsuspected even by many of her admirers, and it can be safely predicted that her impressive portrayal of this difficult role will advance the esteem in which she is generally held by several degrees. The supporting cast includes the ever popular Harold Lockwood.

Fresh seeds of all kinds at the Ocala Seed Store.

## ASYLUM FOR VILLA

#### THE MEXICAN CHIEFTAIN WILL RECEIVE PROTECTION IN THE UNITED STATES

(Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 20.—State department officials have decided that General Villa will receive asylum accorded a political refugee should he enter the United States. This decision was sent last night to General Funston by the war department for transmission to Villa or his representative.

## PEACE IN MEXICO

#### VILLA FACTION HAS COME TO TERMS WITH CARRANZA

(Associated Press)

El Paso, Dec. 20.—An agreement was reached and papers were signed at noon whereby the Villa faction in northern Mexico concludes peace terms with the Carranza government. Villa was eliminated by the pact signed at the El Paso Mexican consulate. He is said to be in Juarez.

## FAT IN THE FIRE

#### GREEKS IN EPIRUS HAVE BEEN 'ATTACKED BY BULGARIANS

Paris, Dec. 20.—Fighting between small detachments of Greek and Bulgarian troops is reported in a Havas dispatch from Brindisi, Italy. Several Greek officers and soldiers were killed or wounded. The Greek government is hastily forwarding reinforcements. A Bulgarian advance guard is said to have entered the Greek province of Epirus after lively fighting with Greek outposts.

#### LITTLE ELIZABETH CUTHILL

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Cuthill deeply sympathize with them in their sorrow at the death of their little daughter, Elizabeth, aged four, who passed away Sunday. The little girl was laid to rest in the Martel cemetery this morning.

#### REMEMBERED THE PRESIDENT

The Peninsula Club had a crate of choice oranges and grapefruit shipped through the Ocala packing house to President Wilson at Washington. Mr. Barnes manager of the packing house, is shipping a good many boxes of choice fruit, for those who request him to do so.

#### LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE

A number of our citizens have formed a law and order league, with the intention of reporting to the officials the illicit sale of whisky and other violations of law. The organization will probably become general thru the county.